
Theatrical Souvenirs at Only 2c. Cabinet size portraits of Mr Nat. C. Goodwin and Miss Maxine Elliott, with signatures. Other interesting features, creating a souvenir album of unusual interest. The price—2c—is purely complimentary, not representing a fraction of the cost of production. For distribution in Book Department, near 11th

The Palais Royal.



Friday is so usually looked on as remnant day that you need be reminded it is NOT remnant day at the Palais Royal-but a day of better bargains. One proof-for tomorrow the best 25c Hosiery is to be offered at 17c. Every size in Ladies' Fast Black Maco Yarn Hose, with double soles and high spliced heels. Every size in Ladies' Fleeced Black Hose with elastic ribbed tops. Every size in Boys' and Girls' Black

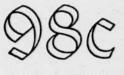
Hose, with double knees, etc. Best of 25c Hose at only

59c FOR 75c SKIRTS.
What better Friday bargain than these warm and comforting Knit Wool Petticoats? Black, white, gray and pink.

86c FOR \$1.25 SKIRTS. Black Sateen, with accordion plaits, two small plaits and dust ruffle. Facsimile of expensive Silk 74c FOR \$1.25 GOWNS.
Cozily warm Flannelette Night
Gowns, looking like French flannel.
Superior finish. Note the yoke at
both front and back.

49c FOR \$1.50 SACQUES.

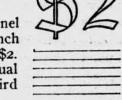
Best All-wool Ripple Elderdown
Dressing Sacques, with satinbound collar and silk frog fasten-



Flannel Waists:

(\$2.50 to \$5 Garments.) Superior All-wool Flannel

Waists at 98c and best French Flannel Garments at only \$2. Each at less than half the actual values. Take elevator to third



Children's Best \$5 Coats for \$1.98.

The season's best styles are here, of all-wool cloths, with and without capes, lined and unlined, braid, fur, lace and emblem trimmed. Sizes 3 to 6 years, at \$1.98 instead of \$5 for choice.

39c for the Silk and Velvet Bonnets made to wear with the above-mentioned coats. Some were as much as \$1.98. Choice tomorrow

50c For Children's Linon Aprons -some were as much as \$1.48. Dainty Waists and Hubbard styles, lace, embroidery and ribbon trimmed. Ages, 4 to 6 years.

Friday's Dress Goods Bargains.

(Also Trimmings at special prices.) All-wool Cheviots, 54 inches syde. 75c quality...... 59c "Vesti" Cloth, new waist ma-terial. 68c value..... 50C

All-wool Waistings. Best 50c 35c

Grapes, hand made. Black and white velvet. \$1 bunches...... 38c



Choice of Black Silk Chantilly Laces, best Plat Valenciennes Laces and Point de Paris Laces. Insertings and Edges up to 5 inches wide. Monster table full, on first floor, near elevator. Ready 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

EMBROIDERIES AT 59c. (Some worth \$1.)
All-over Embroidery, 20 inches wide; various styles; artistically tucked and embroidered; none were less than 75c. yard; most were \$1.

EMBROIDERIES AT 13c. (All were 25c.) Swiss and Nainsook Embroidery, Insertings, Edgings; up to 4½ inches wide. These are the maker's sam-

ple strips, offered at half the actual

29c for 50c Satin Liberty Ribbons.

The "buyer" is just from New York and announces the best bargain of the year for tomorrow-100 pieces of 5-inch-wide Double-face Satin or Satin Liberty Ribbons, in white, cream, pink, old blue, nile, navy, brown and new blue. Guaranteed 50c quality at only 29c yard.

RELIABLE NOTIONS. (Friday Bargains.)

 19c "Victoria" Dress Shields
 10c

 10c Skirt Braids, 5 yards
 5c

 19c Hooks, Eyes and Loops
 10c

 50c Skirt Brush, 5 yards
 32c

 25c Scissors, pure steel
 19c

 25c Garter Elastic, length
 15c

\$1.99 FOR \$2.49 UMBRELLAS. New Silk Umbrellas on which the price ticket reads \$2.49 are to be a Friday bargain—at \$1.90. Ladies'

and Men's. 59c FOR \$1 GLOVES. Not the Palais Royal's regular \$1 Kid Gloves—only the usual \$1 Gloves, but all sizes will be here white, black and every best

35c. LACE JACKETS, 10c.
Those Battenberg patterns of
Lace Jackets, for sale in the Art
Needlework Department, near G

RELIABLE NOTIONS. (Friday Bargains.)

 19c Rod Hair Pins, new.
 15c

 19e Rubber Hair Curlers.
 15c

 12c "Astoria" Oube Pins.
 8c

 4c Paper Pins, 400 count.
 2c

 5c Hooks and Eyes, card.
 2c

 \$1 Hot Water Bottles.
 69c

12c FOR 25c PAPER.
Writing Paper, to be sold at 12c.
per pound. Think of nearly 100
sheets for 12c. It's less than half

48c FOR \$1.50 BOOKS.

The most talked of books by the most popular authors. Advertised everywhere as "\$1.50 Copyrights." Here at 48c for choice.

"JANICE MEREDITH," 35c.
The late Paul L. Ford will be re-



Rogers Spoons, 6 for 39c.

Not more than six to each purchaser-and at 39c for tomorrow only. Other home needs as equally attractive will be found in

\$1.25 BEDDING AT 88c. (For Friday Only.) Choice of English Fleece Blan-kets, looking like expensive Call-fornia Blankets. Choice of full size Comforts, filled with laminated cotton and covered with art silkoline. Choice of large sizes Marseilles effect Bedspreads. Best 88c of \$1.25 Bedding, at only.....

121/2c TOWELS at oc.

69c DAMASK AT 49c.

12c PHOTO FRAMES, 9c. Cabinet size Gilt Photo Frames, with mat, glass and easel. Friday's price surprise is to 9c

	Basement Floo
	Babbitt's Soap 7 for 250
	Oleine Soap 10 for 25
	Sunshine Soap4 for 9
	Floating Soap
	Army and Navy 2 for 7
	Borax, 1 pound96
•	Gold Dust 6 for 25
	German Ball Blue4
	Household Ammonia2 for 7c
	Safety Matches 19 hoves &

Friday Bargains. Ready Mixed Faints

25c Bath Enamel ... 1fc
Ready Mixed Stains ... 1lc
Enameline Stove Polish ... 3c
Liquid Enameline Polish ... 4c
P. R. Silver Polish ... 7c
Shelf Paper 5 yards ... 2c

2 Pounds for 25c.

(Empress Coffee.)

"Empress" Coffees are sold all over the world at 24c to 38c pound. The broken beans are gathered into two-pound bags and given away on Friday-at 25c per bag.

PALAIS ROYAL,

and Eleventh Streets.

Birthday Anniversary.

Celebration of Washington's

PROGRAMS OUTLINED

SONS OF THE REVOLUTION AT NEW WILLARD.

Exercises in the Public Schools Under Arrangements Made by Board of Trade.

Washington's birthday anniversary occurs this year on Sunday, and arrangements have been made for the celebration of the event in the city which bears his name. This is an occasion when the whole country, without a dissenting voice or spirit, joins in paying tribute to the memory of one of its greatest heroes and patriots. Connected with this event no sectional differences are recalled, no unpleasant things of the past need be shielded by the screen of forgetfulness, but all the people, north, south, east and west, within the borders of the United States give expression to sentiments of loyalty and patriotic devotion especially characteristic of Americans in paying their tributes of respect to

the "father of his country."

The public schools, the Sons of the Revolution, the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Children of the American Revolution and kindred patrioric societies have arranged elaborate programs for celebrating the event, while several of the churches will hold services of a patriotic character commemorative of the occasion. character commemorative of the occasion.

Sons of the Revolution.

The Sons of the Revolution of the District of Columbia will celebrate Washington's birthday anniversary Monday in the banquet hall of the New Willard Hotel. The meeting will be presided over by Mr. F. P. B. Sands, vice president of the local chapter, and music will be furnished by the chapter, and music will be furnished by the United States Marine Band, under the direction of Lieut. W. H. Santlemann. The program, prepared for the meeting, will include an invocation by Rev. Randolph H. McKim, chaplain of the District of Columbia Sons of the Revolution; an oration on Washington by Mr. Barry Bulkley and an address by Rev. T. E. Green, general chaplain of the Sons of the Revolution. The benediction will be pronounced by Dr. McKim.

Members of the Sons of the Revolution an procure tickets for the meeting from Mr. Barry Bulkley at the Bond building. The banquet hall at the New Willard has been logned to the society by Mr. F. S. Hight, manager of the hotel. The committee in charge of the celebration includes Charles H. Campbell, chairman: N. Barry Charles H. Campbell, chairman; N. Barry Bulkley, secretary, and Mark B. Hatch, Dr. H. L. E. Johnson, Benjamin Miller, R. W. Bulkley, A. F. Marsh, H. W. Reed and B. B. Wilson.

B. Wilson.

A reception in honor of Washington's birthday anniversary will be held by the Daughters of the American Revolution Saturday night at the Riggs House, when it is expected that all the members of the organization in the city, many of whom will be from abroad, will be in attendance. A detachment of Minute Men of the District of Columbia under the command of Columbia under the c Columbia under the command of Col. M. A. Winter will also be present.

Features of Program. The principal features of the program will be an address by Representative Albert J. Hopkins, senator-elect from Illinois; quartet by Minute Men, solo by F. J. Woodman, plano solo by Lieut. E. P. Paull, recitation by Miss A. M. Fauntleroy, and a talk by Col. Thomas H. McKee on "Gleanings and Glimpses of Patriotism." Assistant Postmaster General E. C. Madden will relate the story of how Martha Washington's portrait came to be used on the postage stamps, and Sergt. N. R. Wood, ornithologist of the National Museum, will give imitations of birds and animals.

A special patriotic and religious service will also be held at the First Baptist Church Sunday morning, when the national officers of the D. A. R. will attend in a body. Rev. Dr. C. F. Winbigler, the pastor, will deliver the sermon on the subject, "Washington, the Man, the Christian."

At the Church of the Covenant Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock the Children of the American Revolution will hold a service commemorative of Washington's birthday, when several addresses will be given on appropriate subjects. Monday, February 23, members of the society will visit Mount Vernon to participate in exercises around the tree planted by the Children of the American Revolution.

The members of the P. O. S. of A. will celebrate the occasion next Monday evening in the halls of Washington Camp, No. 1, and Washington Camp, No. 2, respec-

The city of Alexandria has made extensive preparations for observing the event by a general celebration Monday. It is ex-pected that a large number of residents of Washington will witness the exercises in the city across the Potomac.

All the public schools of the District have

prepared to hold special exercises in honor of Washington's birthday tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. The celebration in the public schools has been arranged under the auspices of the Washington Board of Trade by its committee on public schools.

Chairmen and Speakers Designated. Mr. A. P. Fardon, chairman of the committee on public schools, has designated chairmen and speakers, respectively, for the schools named below, the chairmen being those first mentioned:

ing those first mentioned:

High Schools—Central, John W. Douglass,
Henry L. West; Eastern, Dr. A. P. Fardon,
Henry B. F. Macfarland; Western, Thos.
W. Smith, James T. Du Bois; Business,
George Truesdell, E. Southard Parker; McKinley Manual Training School, Cuno
H. Rudolph, William H. Singleton; M.
Street High School, Charles B. Purvis,
Dr. Robert Reyburn; Armstrong Man

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First division—Franklin, John Joy Edson, Rev. Donald C. McLeou; Berret, Rear Admiral Franklin C. Prindle, Henry W. Samson; Dennison, Samuel W. Curriden, J. D. Croissant; Adams, Albert M. Read, G. W. F. Swartzell; Force, John S. Barker, Rev. Teunis S. Hamlin; Phelps, Robt. A. Phillips, Miss Emma M. Gillett; Harrison, Captain Thos. F. Jewell, U. S. N., Percy S. Foster; Hubbard, Fulton Lewis, Rev. Ross Fishburn; Johnson, Benj. P. Davis, Ernest Wilkinson; Morgan, Thos. P. Morgan, Rev. E. Lawrence Hunt.

Second division—Seaton, Isaac Gans, F. A. Fleming; Henry, Wm. J. Rhese, Rev. E.

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L. Hubbard; Webster, T. Janny Brown,
Wm. Frey White; Abbott, Wm. V. Cox, Lyman L. Pierce; Morse, Chas. F. Hendler,
Jackson H. Ralston; Polk, Justin Morrill
Chamberlin, Rev. Geo. P. Wilson; Twining,
John Doyle Carmody, Rev. J. J. Muir; Eckington, Wm. A. Boss, Rev. W. Taliaferro
Thompson; Emory, Ralph A. Severn, Rev.
Eugene A. Hanner.

Third division—Wallach, E. G. Davis,
Walter C. Clephane; Peabody, H. K. Simpson, J. Nota McGill; Carberry, Theodore A.
Harding, Wm. M. Hallam; Maury, Rev. W.
E. Parson. Walter N. Weston; Towers,
Frank H. Jackson, Harry O. Hine; Brent,
E. J. Nottingham, Barry Buckley; Lenox,
Wm. M. Shuster, Rev. A. S. Bean; Hilton,
John H. O'Donnell, Harry G. Kimball; Dent,
S. S. French, Maurice D. Rosenburg.

Fourth division—Jefferson, Ellis Spear,
Simon Wolf; Bradley, Wm. X. Stevens, J.
H. Thomas; Amidon, Jerome F. Johnson,
Rev. Alex. Bielaski; Smallwood, George N.
Saegmuller, Chas. F. Weller; Greenleaf, C.
T. Yoder, Allen D. Albert, jr.; Potomac,
conducted by school; Arthur, John B.
Daish, M. I. Weller; McCormack, conducted
by school; Sayles J. Bowen, Dr. George B.
Reeves, Samuel Edelstein.

Fifth division—Curtis, Jesse H. Wilson,
Rev. Frank Havenner; Grant, Dr. George
C. Sampson, Rev. Chas. F. Winbigler; Addison, Benjamin Miller, Rev. C. C. Coleman; Corcoran, J. Barton Miller, T. S. Key
Smith; Jackson, Henry B. Looker, Robt.
E. L. Yellott; Threlkeld, conducted by
school; Filmore, Henry Mathews, Harry D.
Domer; High, conducted by school; Toner,
Dr. S. C. Cox, Rev. Page Milburn; Reservoir, conducted by school; Weightman, A. S.
Tavlor, Wrs. Ellen, Mussey; Industrial

In the Suburbs. Seventh division—Tenley, Frank H. Thomas, Rev. Mr. Thomas; Brightwood, W. E. Nalley, Rev. C. O. Bosensteel; Brookland, C. F. Finckel, A. F. Kinnan; Woodburn, Nalley, Rev. C. O. Bosensteel; Brookland, C. F. Finckel, A. F. Kinnan; Woodburn, Miss H. E. King, to be selected; Chevy Chase, Miss M. Ellen Given, Rev. T. S. Childs; Takoma, J. H. Clark, W. G. Platt; Hamilton, Miss E. T. Kirk, to be selected; Langdon, Miss A. M. Sisson, J. B. Bogan; Monroe, Dr. Charles C. Marbury, Jesse E. Potbury; Petworth, T. V. Powderly, Dr. Kimmel; Military Road, A. P. Lewis, T. L. Baxter; Grant Road, Mrs. L. I. Hawkesworth, to be selected; Bunker Hill Road, J. A. Richardson, Miss M. S. Wayman; Ivy City, Miss L. E. Waring, J. E. Washington; Chain Bridge Road, D. I. Renfro, to be selected; Mott, T. W. Allen, Robert Pelham; Wilson, Samuel E. Lacy, R. E. Toomey; Bruce, E. D. Williston, J. C. Norwood; Orphans' Home, Dr. B. J. Cole, Rev. J. C. Waters.

Eighth division—Buchanan, Dr. Newton E. Webb, Frank J. Hogan; Cranch, to be selected, E. Hilton Jackson; Tyler, Basil B. Earnshaw, Rev. A. H. Thompson; Benning, conducted by school; Kenilworth, conducted by school; Congress Heights, A. E. Randle, Rev. Jas. B. Clayton; Good Hope, conducted by school; Van Buren and annex, Dr. James A. Watson, Rev. Wm. M. Nevins; Orr, conducted by school; Benning Road, conducted by school; Birney, Paul H. Bray, Cyrus T. Adams; Burrville, conducted by school; Garfield, W. K. Scott, Solomon G. Brown.

Colored Schools.

division - Sumner, Walter H. Brooks, Armond W. Scott; Stevens, O. L. Mitchell, Mrs. M. C. Terrell; Magruder, J. W. Ewing, John P. Green; Garrison, S. Geriah Lamkins, E. H. Hunter; Wormley, L. H. Peterson, C. H. Stepteau; Briggs, Albert H. Peterson, C. H. Stepteau; Briggs, Albert Ridgeley, A. H. Stevens; Phillips, H. W. Hewlett, J. W. Gaines.

Tenth division—John F. Cook, Charles R. Douglass, D. F. Rivers; Banneker, Arthur S. Gray, P. B. S. Pinchback; Jones, A. B. Hamm, L. M. Hershaw; Slater, T. H. R. Clarke, Jesse Lawson; Garnet, W. T. Menard, Judson W. Lyons; Logan, Mrs. Ida D. Bailey, Milton M. Holland; Patterson, W. L. Houston, F. J. Grimke; Douglass, L. O. Posey, William J. Howard; Langston, H. P. Slaughter, Rev. Carrothers.

Eleventh division—Lincoln, Jas. L. Neil, A. C. Garner; Randall, Daniel Murray, L.

A. C. Garner; Randall, Daniel Murray, L. B. Moore; Anthony Bowen, Willis A. Madden, Mrs. R. E. Lawson; Giddings, Reuben S. Smith, M. W. Clair; Bell, Kelley Miller, Geo. H. White; Ambush, Rev. Waters, C. E. Herbert; Payne, J. C. Burlls, Geo. H. Richardson; Lovejoy, Wm. Beckett, Frank-lyn I. Bennett; Syphax, C. A. Tignor, W. H.

MRS. BIRD'S SAD ERRAND.

Trying Hard to Save Her Husband's

The pathetic efforts of Mrs. Homer Bird to save the life of her husband, under sentence to be hanged on the 6th of March in Alaska, were renewed at the White House today. With tears streaming down her face and her voice choked with a big lump in her throat; she almost gave up in despair when the doorkeeper of Secretary Loeb told her that her case would have to be taken to the Department of Justice. "I have tried to see the Attorney General," she sobbed in broken sentences, "but he has persistently refused to see me. I have has persistently refused to see me. I have tried to see the President, and all that I am told is that I must apply to the Department of Justice. Oh, God, is there no help for my poor husband? Must he be sacrificed, and my five little children made fatherless and disgraced? Can't they just spare his life for our sakes? He was always good to us, and they told such lies on him when he was tried. It breaks my heart that I must be turned away from one person to another in this cold manner. Are all people in Washington heartless? Will all people in Washington heartless? Will nobody do anything to save his life?" Standing beside the grief-stricken mother was a little daughter, whose eyes filled with tears, too, and her frame shook with emotion. In far-away Alaska her father is sentenced to die, and unless official action is taken by today or tomorrow to stay the sentence no word can be gotten to the place where he is confined before the sentence is carried out. The thought of the sentence is carried out. place where he is confined before the sentence is carried out. The thought of the anguish in his mind and the fate that awaits him causes the mother and child to give way to tears every time they are turned away from some person they have appealed to for help.

In New Orleans are four more little children of the condemned man, waiting to hear of the efforts of the mother here. Mrs. Bird and her child are not used to the fearfully cold weather Washington is now experiencing, and are exposing themselves

fearfully cold weather Washington is now experiencing, and are exposing themselves to a dangerous degree. They will continue to make appeals, but the President and Attorney General long ago decided that Bird must die, and that they will not interfere with his sentence. Bird killed two of his mining partners in Alaska several years ago, and his crime was a particularly atroclous one, if the testimony of the witnesses could be believed. One of the witnesses was a woman with whom Bird lived in Alaska. He deserted his wife for the woman, but the wife forgets this, and her only thought is of the condemned man. The case is a most pitiable one, and the grief of the poor woman and her child touched of the poor woman and her child touched the hearts of those who witnessed it today. From the bald facts in the case, Bird is probably not entitled to executive clemency, but the claim is that the testimony against him is by irresponsible people.

DENIED USE OF THE MAILS. Fraud Order Issued Against a Collec-

tion Agency. The Post Office Department has issued a fraud order against the American State Law Collection Agency, denying it the use of the mails in the prosecution of its business. Up to a few months ago the American Jewelry Concern sent to a number of people throughout the United States small stick pins, which were to be sold and the proceeds turned into the company. Ten pins were sent to each person, which were to be sold for ten cents each. When the money for the pins was sent in the Jewelry Concern promised to send each person a handsome watch as a prize. It appears that this company went out of business a few months ago, and its outstanding accounts were turned over to the State Law Collecwere turned over to the State Law Collec-tion Agency for collection. This agency wrote letters to all the persons whose names could be found on the books of the jewelry company, demanding payment of the alleged debts. Some of the persons re-ceiving these letters were those who had already sent in the money they had received for the stick pins, but to avoid any legal complications they sent in another paycomplications they sent in another pay-ment. The letter of the State Law Collecment. The letter of the State Law Collection Agency bore a printed notice to the effect that they always succeeded in their endeavors to collect or the debtors were prosecuted. In the case of the Jewelry Concern the letters stated that the collectors had found that the debtors had been violating the postal regulations, and unless payment was made they would be prosecuted. The fraud order, was issued on the presentation of these facts.

Building Permits Issued. Building permits were issued today as

ollows: Martin Wiegan, one three-story and cellar brick dwelling, 165 Maryland avenue southwest; cost \$6,00.
Oscar M. Bryant, two two-story brick dwellings, 1544 and 1546 New Jersey avenue northwest; cost \$5,000. P. V. DeGraw, one two-story brick private stable on rear of 210 Maryland avenue northeast: cost \$700.

Among the guests at the banquet given Tuesday evening by the steel plate trans-

Inadvertently Omitted.

Dr. Wm. C. Woodward; Blake, John G. Challice, Rev. E. B. Bagby; Blair, Robert A. Bennett, Rev. J. Edwin Amos; Madison, Goodwin Y. AtLeel Andrew A. Wilsons Taylor, Lem Towers, Ir., Rev. David W. Montgomery; Pierce Wm. J. Frizzell, Noel Barksdale; Hayes; John C. Davidson, Edgar B. Calvert; Webb, Loring Chappell, Jos. D. Sullivan. Saks and Company, Leaders since 1867.

A Rich "Crop of Remnants" Tomorrow.

The fruit of the specially-attractive offerings and the exceptionally-active selling of the past fortnight. You know how lightly we value remnants. Quality has no control over prices here when the lots are reduced to odds and ends.

Take it all in all, tomorrow will be the biggest Friday of bar-

gains this season.

Men's \$10 Suits, \$5.00. In the following sizes—

8 11 3 1 1 1 2 6 2 1 33 34 35 36 87 39 40 42 44 46

Men's \$12.50 Suits, \$6.25. In the following sizes— 17 20 7 2 1 1 4 7 4

33 84 85 36 37 88 40 42 44 Men's \$15.00 Suits, \$7.50. In the following sizes-

Men's \$18.00 Suits, \$9.00.

In the following sizes-Men's \$20.00 Suits, \$10.00.

In the following sizes—

Small Lots of Boys' Clothing.

12 Odd Coats, left from suits that sold up to \$7; sizes 3, 4, 6, 8, 9, 10 \$1.45

7 Young Men's Odd Vests, left from suits that sold up to \$12.50; sizes 33 and 75c.

4 Young Men's Odd Coats, Plain Blue Cheviot; left from suits that sold \$2.45 4 Young Men's Coats and Vests, they belong to \$12.50 and \$15 Suits; but there are no pants to match; sizes 15. \$4.95

16 and 18 years..... 15 Novelty and Sailor Suits for the short pants wearers; nothing like an assortment of sizes; but \$2.50, \$3 and \$3.50 \$1.35

11 Young Men's Suits and 8 Overcoats; mostly 18 and 19-year sizes; which is equivalent to 34 and 35. \$9 \$4.75

25 Boys' Reefers, in Plain Blue and Oxford Gray; scattering sizes from 3 to 95C.

20 pairs Boys' Separate Knee Pants in sizes 3 and 4 years; that are worth 25c.

7 House Coats, in sizes 34, 35 and 38; they are Matelasse, Velvet and Tricot, but just the least bit damaged; slik lined and sikk trimmed. \$10, \$12.50 and \$15 have been the \$4.75 2 Bath Robes, slightly soiled; that \$2.95

Small Lots Seasonable Footwear.

WOMEN'S Black Vici Kid, Box Calf and Patent Calf Button and Lace Shoes; light and medium soles; worth \$3 a \$1.65

WOMEN'S Black Vici Kid, Box Calf. Patent Calf and Enamel Leather
Button and Lace Shoes; welt or turn sewed \$2.35
worth up to \$5 a pair.....\$2.35

WOMEN'S Black Vici Kid and Box Calf Button and Lace Shoes; \$1.00 MEN'S Black Vici Kid, Box Calf,

Velour Calf, Patent Colt and Enamel
Leather Button and Lace Shoes; single or \$1.95 NFANTS' Soft-sole Shoes, in the nursery colors; sizes 1 to 4; worth 50c. 17c.

MISSES' and Children's Storm and

BOYS' and Youths', Misses' and Children's Black Vici Kid, Box Calf and Wax Calf Button and Lace Shoes; solid soles and stylish shapes. Worth \$1.50 a pair.. \$1.00

Men's \$10.00 Overcoats, \$5.00. In the following sizes-

Men's \$12.50 Overcoats, \$6.25. In the following sizes-36 40 42 44

Men's \$15.00 Overcoats, \$7.50. In the following sizes-

Men's \$18.00 Overcoats, \$9.00.

In the following sizes-

Men's \$20.00 Overcoats, \$10.00.

In the following sizes—

And one \$30.00 Paddock, size 40. . . . \$15.00 23 pairs Men's Fancy Striped Cheviot and Cassimere Pants; good patterns; splendid values; but there are none larger than 31 waist.

There's one \$25.00 Overcoat, size 44. .\$12.50

The \$2.50 ones.....\$1.25 The \$3.00 ones.....\$1.50

Small Lots of Men's Furnishings. SOME few pairs of 50c. Half Hose, the fancy cotton effects; scattering sizes; 3 18c.

ODDS and ends of Merino and Wool Half Hose, the sort that sells regularly at 10c.

and Drawers; medium and heavy 25c. ROKEN sizes of regular 50c. Shirts CATTERING sizes of Men's Tan 50c, and Gray Walking Gloves; regular \$1 grade 50c.

ROKEN sizes of Men's Gray and Camel's Hair Underwear; Shirts and 35c.

(DDS and ends 'of Men's Silkmixed Underwear; Shirts and Drawers; \$1.25

ODDS and ends of German-ribbed Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers; heavy 75c. M EN'S Domet Night Shirts; regu- 35c

OT of Men's Unlaundered Shirts; large sizes; the best shirts that are sold at 25c.

OT of Collar and Cuff Boxes; regu-25c.

EATHER Toilet Cases, furnished with brush, comb, tooth brush and nail 35c. brush; 50c. and 75c. have been the regular prices.

Small Lots Men's and Boys' Hats.

A SMALL lot of Men's Derbys and Soft Hats —they are the last of the \$2, \$2.50 and \$3 grades that have been in demand all the past season.

The shapes are every one desirable. If we can

ODDS and ends Men's Winter Caps, 35c.

CHILDREN'S Stitched-brim Sailors; Cloth and Felt and some few of the An-ODDS and ends Children's Novelty

Sailors, with wide brims and extra fine 59c.

Saks and Company, Pa. Ave. and 7th St.

NOT AUCTIONEERS.

Opinion of Corporation Counsel on Prior Notice to Owners Claimed to Be

Pushcart Venders. The corporation counsel has submitted an opinion to the District Commissioners on trict Commissioners suggesting that the hicles and bicycles on the public thoroughas to whether or not wholesale fruit dealhighest bidders shall pay license as aucchants will expose a lot of fruit for sale. Quite a lively competition occurs as a rule between the pushcart men, whose cry of the streets at all hours of the day. It was contended by the assessor's office that

Daish, M. I. Weller; McCormack, conducted by school; Sayles J. Bowen, Dr. George B. Reeves, Samuel Edelstein.

Fifth division—Curtis, Jesse H. Wilson, Rev. Chas. F. Wilbiger, Addison, Benjamin Miller, Rev. C. Cofeman, Corcara, J. Barton Miller, T. S. Key Smith; Jackson, Henry B. Looker, Robt. E. L. Yellott; Threlkeld, conducted by school; Timer, Henry Makwas, Harry D. Designs of the merchants. The merchants including Lundon & Middleton, Henry L. Strang, Joseph Ferraro and others, have been represented in the controversy with the assency's office by counsel, whose brief was filled with the papers forwarded to the District's legal adviser, Mr. Duvall.

To Remain at Crow Agency.

To Remain at Crow Magney.

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LAW GOVERNING TAXES.

Unnecessary. Newton & Gillett have written to the Dis-

the point raised by the assessor's office new law permitting the sale of property by the District for unpaid taxes did not repeal ers who sell their goods at times to the the provision in the act of February 28, 1898, which provides that before deeds shall ticneers as well as the license for the gen- be issued the Commissioners must advertise eral business. It seems that at times the the fact that the property has been applied wholesale fruit dealers or commission mer- for three times in two daily newspapers of the District. The writers believe that the advertising provision is a wise one.

Acting Assessor Griffin has reported to "Good-a banan', five a doz," is heard on the Commissioners that the new law, by its enacting clause, becomes an absolute sub stitute for the former law. He says there contended by the assessor's office that these auctions of goods constituted auctioneering. The corporation counsels holds that such is not the case.

It is stated in the opinion of the corporation counsel that the auction of fruit is but an incident to the regular business

New Speed Register.

The police department has adopted a new speedometer to replace the one now in use by the members of the bicycle squad for the purpose of ascertaining the speed of vefares. The new instrument, it is said, has been successfully used in Europe and other cities in the United States and has been tested by experts in this city. A supply has been ordered and they will be used by the members of the blcycle squad when the weather is such as to permit the policemen to again use their silent steeds. It is said to be the intention of the department to enforce the speed law to the letter.

Exhibition at Rheims.

An industrial and international exhibition will take place in Rheims, France, from May 15 to September 15. This exhibition, situated in the most agricultural and industrial region of France, is reputed to be a great success. The American and English products will be admitted. Inquiries for information should be sent to the manager of the exhibition at Rhelms, France.